

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
Northern District of California  
San Francisco Division

VALLAVISTA CORPORATION,  
Plaintiff,

No. C 10-0120 JW

v.

VERA BRADLEY DESIGNS, INC., et al.,  
Defendants.

**ORDER DENYING REQUEST FOR  
DEFENDANT VERA BRADLEY  
DESIGNS, INC.'S INSURER  
REPRESENTATIVE TO ATTEND  
THE MEDIATION  
TELEPHONICALLY**

Date: July 13, 2010  
Mediator: William Fenwick

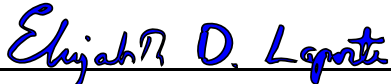
IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the request for defendant Vera Bradley Designs, Inc.'s insurer representative, Patricia Horton, to be excused from personally attending the July 13, 2010 mediation session before William Fenwick is DENIED. The court finds that Ms. Horton has not demonstrated that her personal attendance at the mediation would "impose an extraordinary or otherwise unjustifiable hardship" in accordance with ADR L.R. 6-10(d). Accordingly, the court DENIES the request to be relieved from compliance with the ADR Local Rules and ORDERS Ms. Horton to appear at the mediation in person.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

July 7, 2010

By:

Dated

  
Elizabeth D. Laporte  
United States Magistrate Judge